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\$1.50 A YEAR IN ADVANCE

Many Attend the Final Rites For John Oestreich

Oestreich of Mokena were held on Sunday afternoon at the M. E. church with Rev. A. R. Mangus officiating. Arthur Morrison of Chicago an old friend of the family sang three solos. The floral offerings were many and beautiful.

John Oestreich first saw the light of this world on December 12, 1841 at Ostheim, Hesse Cassel, Germany. Fate from the first tender years was very cruel to him as death claimed his mother when he was only two years old.

Final rites for the late John Oestreich were held on Sunday afternoon at the M. E. church with Rev. A. R. Mangus officiating. Arthur Morrison of Chicago an old friend of the family sang three solos. The floral offerings were many and beautiful.

After the death of his father, the deceased was received into the home of a faithful cousin, Henry Schernick, a weaver of fine linens. From his cousin he early learned the weavers trade which he followed as long as he remained in his native land.

At the age of 23 he decided to better his lot in the land across the sea where he had heard there was an opportunity for those who seek to better their lot. Thus he felt the urge to go to this new land growing stronger daily and finally in August 1864 he left his native home and kindred and embarked in a sailing vessel of the times for America and after more than a month of storm and perils at sea, he arrived in New York. He first settled in Beaver Dam, Wisconsin and four years later he came to Naperville, Ill., where he met Miss Margaret Moyer to whom he was married in 1873.

all governs upon was blest with four children, one son and three daughters, all of whom survive.

In 1881 they came to Joliet and resided in that city until 1909 when they moved to New Lenox. In 1917 they came to Mokena to make their homes with their daughters, Mrs. Hugh Deadmore and Mrs. Wm. Semmler.

Mr. Oestreich quickly became a good citizen of his adopted country and was faithful in the performance of his public duties to the very last.

He was intensely devoted to the work of the church, having been for the past thirty years an earnest adherent of the Methodist Episcopal church. He was a very serious minded man of high principles. He loved the home life and was a loving husband and a very devoted father. The Lord whom he always strived to serve, crowned him with a long life and peculiarly enough spared him the heart anguish of laying away any of his family.

During the closing days of his long life, the infirmities of age weighed heavily upon him and he longed for the eternal rest and in the early morning hours of May 1, 1925 this useful and honorable life came to a close. Though the John Oestreich we knew in the flesh is no more, yet his spirit is living on forever and his memory will never grow dim in the hearts of those he loved. He was very keenly devoted to his grand children.

When on my day of life the night is falling,
And, in the wind from unsummed spaces blown,
I hear far voices out of darkness calling

My feet to paths unknown.
Thou, who hast made my home of life so pleasant,
Leave not its tenant when its walls decay;

O Love Divine, O Helper ever present,
Be thou my strength and stay.
I have but thee my Father! let thy Spirit

Be with me then to comfort and uphold;
No gate of pearl, no branch of

Leffler Relatives Located Thru Story In the News-Bulletin

The News-Bulletin is not only a result bringing advertising medium out is also a factor in getting long lost relatives reunited. Some time ago we published a letter from Mrs. Rose Robinson of Iola, Kansas asking for information as to the whereabouts of cousins, descendants of Henry Leffler, a resident of Frankfort forty years ago.

Following the tornadoe which swept West Frankfort, Ill., in March the Iola paper published a room scene at West Frankfort but in referring to the picture the next matter read that the scene was taken at Frankfort, Illinois instead of West Frankfort so Mrs. Robinson was anxious to find trace of her kindred. After her letter was published in The News-Bulletin a number of old settlers who knew of the Leffler family wrote to Mrs. Robinson giving her the information she was seeking.

Following is a letter the editor of the News-Bulletin has just recently received from Mrs. Robinson:

Iola, Kansas, April 28, 1925.
Editor of News-Bulletin,
Mokena, Ill.

Editor:
I am writing you again to thank you for printing my letter in your paper. As a result I have received several letters and cards giving the information I desired. In one of the letters I received the clipping from your paper. You did me a great favor by giving my letter space in your paper.

In several of the letters I received, the parties wanted to know about my brothers and one sister. If you will please print the answer it will save me a great deal of answering letters for they can read it in the paper.

All of Henry Leffler's family have passed away but myself. Brother Sylvanus Leffler died a month ago in Los Angeles, Cal.

Thanking the parties for sending me the information I desired also to the editor of The News-Bulletin

I am, Sincerely,
Mrs. Rose Robinson,
601 North Street, Iola, Kans.

Mokena Preparing Memorial Program

W. R. Lynk chairman of the Mokena Memorial Day Celebration is busily engaged arranging his committees. Mr. Lynk says he is finding a rather backward spirit in public interest in getting up the Memorial program. This must not be for Mokena can have as good a program as any other town and there surely is enough 100 per cent patriotism in this village to see that such a program is put over. Mokena you must respect the old soldiers who lie buried in the four cemeteries of the community. Let us all work and do our part to put the program over big this year and show the world that we are a patriotic community.

palm I merit,
Or street of shining gold.
Suffice it if—my good and ill unreckoned,

And both forgiven through thy abounding grace—
I find myself by hands familiar beckoned

Unto my fitting place,—
Some humble door among thy many mansions,

Some sheltering shade where sin and striving cease,
And flows forever through heaven's green expansions

The river of thy peace.
There, from the music round about me stealing,

I fain would learn the new and holy song,
And find at last, beneath thy trees of healing,
The life for which I long.

Miss Helen Cooper Quietly Married

Miss Helen Cooper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cooper, stole a march on her friends the past week when she was quietly married to George Bassett of Ontario, Wis. The bride is very reticent about telling her friends as to where and by whom she was married or of her future plans, saying this is the part of the mystery they must solve for themselves. The bride has been treasurer of the Mokena M. E. Sunday school for some time and has always been very loyal in her duties and her many friends wish her an abundance of happiness.

Wins Pulitzer Journalism Award

George Maue, of Mokena has received the news that his nephew Daniel Robert Maue of Monticello, Minnesota is the first Minnesotan to win the much coveted Pulitzer award.

The Minneapolis Morning Star carried the following interesting account of the award:

"Daniel Robert Maue, 31, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Maue of Monticello, is the first Minnesotan to win a Pulitzer award.

"Under the award, as one of 3 graduates of the Columbia university school of journalism, he will go abroad this summer after receiving his degree to spend a year studying social, political and moral conditions of the people and the character of the European press.

"Maue first became interested in journalism in 1916 when working for the Northwestern Circulation company of Minneapolis and after the war working with that firm, later turning to reporting and finally being associate editor of the Thief River Falls, Minn., Times.

He is being rehabilitated by the U. S. Veterans bureau. Maue served overseas 18 months under Col. George E. Leach as a private and then a corporal in the 151st Field Artillery, Minnesota's unit in the famous Rainbow division. He was gassed at Badonviller, Lorraine sector, on March 9, 1918, but returned to duty in two months. When he entered on a rehabilitation program he carried away honors at the American Business college, Minneapolis, before taking up journalism at Columbia in 1921 where he won the honors which resulted in the Pulitzer award.

"Maue is the author of 'The Switzerland of South Africa,' an historical sketch of Basutoland, purchased by the Current History Magazine. He has a typed volume, 'Me an' Pete' which is 80,000 words of a diary written in camps and on the battlefield with the A. E. F. 'Pete' is Wilbur C. Peterson, Marshall, Minn., an army 'buddy' and fellow student at Columbia. The diary has attracted attention of publishers.

'Maue was born in Monticello in 1894, one of seven children. He is of Alsatian descent. He attended grade schools there and later 'hoped counters' there and worked in a cannery.

"While abroad he intends to study the natives of the countries he visits to get a background of their customs, language and thought for future study and writing.

"While the newspapers tell largely what has happened, Maue says he wants to know what is behind what has happened."

LARGE CROWD AT PLAY

The play "The Divorce Question" presented by the DeSoto players of Joliet at the St. John Evangelical church parlors at Mokena on Wednesday night drew a full house and was much enjoyed. The play was given under the auspices of the St. Mary Catholic church of Mokena. About 400 tickets were sold.

BUSSES RUNNING AGAIN

The busses which operated between Orland and 95th Street last summer and which have not been running during the winter months have resumed hourly service the past week.

Walter Kramer of Orland Granted a Saloon License

The dry forces of Orland are at present confronted with a rather puzzling situation. Since Chas. P. Hollstein has left Orland the saloon in the Kruspe building is still in operation. The bar has not been removed nor the curtains removed from the windows.

There has been very little information available as to who was running the place, but the drys have at last learned that the village board has issued the license for the operation of the place to Walter Kramer but where the puzzling part comes in is that two other families are occupying the building and two other parties are running the bar. The dry forces have their eyes on this place and say they will not tolerate any monkey shines and that if any Prohibition law violations are found the violators will be prosecuted with vigor and no leniency will be shown as in former cases.

Liberia Starts 2nd Suit for Damages

The Liberia Land and Development Company of Chicago thru their attorney, Samuel Booth, have filed a second suit against Fred Chamberlain in the Will County Circuit court in which they set forth that they had entered into a deal with him for the purchase of his farm of 446 acres in New Lenox township for colonization purposes and that he had signed an agreement with this company to sell his farm to them for \$56,000 and that after the company had carried out certain conditions, Chamberlain refused them an abstract of title for examination and as they spent \$20,000 in carrying out certain conditions of the agreement, the Liberia Land and Development Company is asking for \$50,000 damages.

The case is set for the May term of court.

Mrs. Fred Mau Is Sent to Kankakee

Mrs. Fred C. Mau became suddenly insane at the home of her sister, Mrs. Mary Mau in Mokena, Monday evening. She had been sleeping during the day and about eight o'clock she got up and suddenly grew violent. She smashed a dressing table in her bedroom. Seizing a piece of the broken furniture she demolished a dresser and a mirror and then knocked all the glass out of the window in her room. She knocked the chimney off a lamp and was carrying the blazing lamp about the room. She began screaming and the neighbors hearing her cries rushed to the house. It took several men to subdue her after which she was taken to Joliet and after a hearing on Tuesday morning was committed to Kankakee. The commitment papers show the patient met with a horse runaway accident when she was 21 years old and suffered a spinal injury and this with worry over the illness of her husband is thought to have caused her mind to become unbalanced.

Nurse Run Down By Police Auto

Mrs. Cagwin of Wilmington, who was engaged as a nurse at the Deadmore home in Mokena during the illness of the late John Oestreich, had a close call from death last Saturday night at Joliet when she was run down by an auto occupied by two policemen as she was going to the Wilmington bus line station. She was dragged for some distance before the car could be stopped. She suffered injuries to her shoulders and was badly bruised and shaken up. She was removed to her home in Wilmington and was confined to bed for several days. She is improving nicely.

Hot Fight for Chairmanship

Great deal of interest centered in the selection of a chairman for the Will County Board of Supervisors.

Harvey Watkins, citizens, supervisor of Joliet Township, was elected chairman of the county board Monday afternoon after one of the hottest contests in the history of the organization.

Watkins was elected on the eleventh ballot, defeating Wm. Lankeau, supervisor of Frankfort township, the Republican choice for the honor.

Coming to Mokena May 15 "The Rich Young Man"

The drama, "The Rich Young Man" is to be given at the St. John Evangelical parlors at Mokena on Friday evening, May 15th by students from the Chicago Training school under the auspices of the Mokena M. E. church. Last week an error was made in the date so be sure and remember the correct date is May 15th.

The Rich Young Man is a religious drama written in 1924 and presented first by this cast of the Chicago Training School on March 23, 1925. The cast consists of 16 students and former students of the Dramatics Department specially trained in the Dramatic Art.

The scenes are laid in the garden of the summer palace of an Oriental Rabbi within the time of the ministry of Jesus. The costumes have been produced at a very considerable expense and as closely as possible approximate the eastern garb of the days of Jesus ranging all the way from the coarse brown material worn by the slave to the tunics and abbas of the finest shining silks of the Rabbis.

You should secure your tickets early for this most impressive Biblical drama.

FRANKFORT SCHOOL TEACHER RESIGNS; ILL HEALTH CAUSE

B. A. Saulman who has been principal of the Frankfort public school for several years, has been obliged to resign on account of ill health. Mr. Saulman's resignation went into effect this week. He will leave Saturday for his old home in Indiana. He has many friends here who are sorry to see him leave. Mr. Saulman says he will be obliged to give up teaching entirely.

Southwest Suburban Inter-Community Church Night Plans

The problem of the small community church has been a matter of serious concern to pastors and laymen for years. The situation is one that requires a great deal of study and planning and in many cases it has been found that the social activities of the church in its relation to the community are a big factor in solving some of the perplexing problems which often arise.

An outstanding forward movement has just been launched by the protestant churches of Oak Lawn, Palos Park, Worth and Orland to unite their efforts in a co-operative way to more effectively carry forward the work of the church.

It is the first time that this sort of thing has been done in this way and it is being carefully watched by experts in church work to see if it may not be the solution to some of the small church problems.

The pastors and representatives of Protestant churches in the villages above named have arranged successive Wednesday evenings to be participated in by the various churches beginning at the Orland Methodist church next Wednesday evening, May 13th. A light supper will be served at 6:30 o'clock Daylight Saving time (7:30 o'clock Standard Time) for 25 cents. This will be followed by a social period, and at 7:45 four classes will meet. The subjects and teachers are as follows:

Sunday School Methods, Primary Methods, Miss Mildred Moody of Chicago. Intermediate Methods, Miss G. E. Norris, Chicago.

General Classes—The Life of Christ—Rev. George Horst, Chicago University.

How to Teach Religion—Mrs. M. S. Collins, Orland.

Miss Moody and Miss Norris are specialists in their field and are giving their full time to teaching courses of this kind.

These classes will be especially helpful for parents, Sunday School teachers, those preparing to teach and all workers in the church and will constitute a standard training school as approved by the International Council of Religious Education. Credit will be given toward certificates and diplomas issued by the Council. Every person completing a subject satisfactorily will receive a certificate in that course at the close of the school.

For those not desiring to enroll in one of these classes there will be a talk on various phases of church work by the visiting speaker of the

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During The Busy Planting Season

when every minute counts—you will find a Checking Account in this bank of great assistance to you. It will make it unnecessary for you to drive to town to deposit your money or to travel many miles in paying your bills. All you need to do is, mail your drafts or money orders or etc., to this bank and they will at once be credited to your account. Then you pay your bills in the same way—by mailing checks on this bank to those you owe.

It will take you but five minutes to open an account in this bank. Why not do so today?

Orland State Bank

WHAT'S THE USE

By L. F. Van Zelm
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DRESS

WE OUGHT TO CALL ON THE FISHES THIS AFTERNOON - I WANT YOU TO LOOK VERY GRAND SO PUT ON YOUR CUTAWAY

AW, I LOOK ALL RIGHT AS I AM

NO - IT'S SUNDAY AFTERNOON & I WANT YOU TO WEAR YOUR HIGH HAT TOO - YOU ALWAYS LOOK SO NICE IN IT

I'M GOING TO DRESS ALL UP TOO

HUH! I DON'T KNOW AS YOU LOOK SO DARN FINE

WELL, YOU'RE NO BEAUTY YOURSELF

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VAN ZELM

MICKIE, THE PRINTER'S DEVIL

By Charles Sughroe
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WHATSA IDEA OF TH' SMOKED GLASSES, GRAMPAN? CAN YOU SEE GOOD NO MORE?

CERTAINLY I KIN! CERTAINLY! TH' LIGHT IS A LEEETLE TOO STRONG, BUT I KIN SEE AS GOOD AS I EVER COULD

WELL, CAN YOU SEE THAY FLY UP ON THAT THREE-STORY BUILDING?

WAL, NO

BUT I KIN HEAR HIM! BREATHE!

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SUGHROE

Events in the Lives of Little Men

YOO HO HELLO BILL, HELLO MARY

HEY BILL WHOSE YOUR GIRL?

ONE ICE CREAM SODA WITH TWO SPOONS

PUPPY LOVE

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W. N. U.

Taking the Temperature

AW, PUSH YOU FELLERS

I'LL GO IN IF THE DOG STAYS IN

GEE WHAT'LL HAPPEN IF I LET GO

I'LL GO IN IF YOU DO, SPRINT

IT'S TOO GOLD, YET

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W. N. U.

HOME WANTED FOR A BABY

OF ALL THINGS, A BABY! JUST WHAT I'VE ALWAYS WISHED FOR!

WOW!

YOU STAY RIGHT THERE, SONNY, AND I'LL GO TELEPHONE FOR CHARLIE! MY! HE'LL BURN UP THE ROAD GETTING HERE!

?

I MIGHT AS WELL FEED MYSELF AND SAVE HER THE TROUBLE

OH! JUST YOU WAIT TILL I LAY MY HANDS ON YOU!!

NO! NO! NO! I WOULD NOT LIVE THERE IF I WERE A ROACH!

DO YOU KNOW OF A GOOD HOME?

YOU MAY HAVE MY COODIN' IN A MINUTE

WOW!

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The Clancy Kids

He Knows His Dad

By PERCY L. CROSBY

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WOW! Boo! Hoo!

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I'M ASHAMED TO SEE YOU CRYING BECAUSE YOU TAPPED YOUR FINGER - ACT LIKE A MAN.

SNIFF! SNIFF!

YEH! T-THEN-Y-YOU'D L-LICK ME F-FOR USIN' THAT K-KIND OF LANGUAGE.

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CROSBY

Happenings of the World Tersely Told

Washington—

Attorney General Sargent will personally make an investigation into the decision of the District Supreme court in the case of the packers' consent decree before decision is made as to appeal, he announced at Washington.

Following a conference at Washington with President Coolidge Chairman O'Connor of the shipping board outlined a plan for subsidizing the American merchant marine which will be recommended at the next session of congress.

Augustus Butler Rowland of San Antonio, Texas, machinists' mate in the naval air service, had a gold medal pinned to his blouse by President Coolidge for heroism in rescuing two shipmates from drowning.

Appointment of John Marshall of Parkersburg, W. Va., as assistant attorney general to succeed Rush L. Holland, who resigned recently to practice law, was announced at the White House in Washington.

Secretary Weeks is expected back at his desk in Washington in a short time by the President, as he has been recovering from his illness rapidly.

Final action of the reorganized federal trade commission at Washington was taken with respect to the long troublesome question of publicity regarding complaints against American business firms. Hereafter business firms will not be subjected to publicity regarding complaints of illegal practices until they have had a chance to be heard.

Formal announcement that the resignation of James M. Beck as solicitor general has been accepted by President Coolidge was made at the White House.

Thousands of Washingtonians have sore arms, and it is reported that not the least of these is the one belonging to President Coolidge. This situation is the result of a small-pox scare of such proportions that the United States Public Health Service requested all government employees to submit to vaccination.

Income tax collections for the first quarter of 1925 total \$519,238,820.98, a decrease of \$67,541,369.41 from 1924, says a statement from Washington.

The world cotton crop of 1924 is estimated at 24,700,000 bales, as compared with 19,500,000 bales for 1923, according to the Department of Agriculture at Washington.

Federal surveyors have been urged to hasten the resurvey of the Colorado oil shale district, which the Interior department at Washington has announced is expected to show fraudulent mineral locations.

Import duties on American corn have been suspended by the Mexican government for two months, it was announced at Washington.

The Post-Office department at Washington has issued a warning that activities of postage stamp collectors in splitting the one-cent stamp for postage in lieu of the new one-half-cent stamp, is illegal.

Ethelbert Stewart of Illinois was reappointed as commissioner of labor statistics in the Department of Labor at Washington.

President Coolidge's cabinet members reported to him encouraging features of the present business situation.

Domestic—

Structural iron workers of Chicago agreed to accept a scale of \$1.37½ an hour on June 1.

The Wendover cutoff, opening the only direct route from Salt Lake to San Francisco, will be officially opened June 13.

It was announced officially in New York that the Bank of England, fiscal agent for the British government, has arranged two credits in the United States aggregating \$300,000,000. Two-thirds of the credit has been established with the Federal Reserve Bank of New York in behalf of the entire federal reserve system. The other \$100,000,000 is through J. P. Morgan & Co.

After more than 1,000 persons seeking missing girls had visited the Chesterton (Ind.) morgue and viewed the partly burned body of a slender young woman found dead near Chesterton, Gary police were convinced that the murdered girl was Mrs. Josephine Desidera of Gary.

Fire destroyed the Cooper Wagon and Buggy company plant at Dubuque, Iowa, with a loss of \$60,000. The blaze was started by sparks from an acetylene torch igniting oil in a fly-wheel pit.

Loot estimated at about \$1,000 was obtained by robbers who blew open safes in post offices at Westphalia, Ore., and Barber, Idaho.

Santa Fe passenger train No. 76 was derailed near San Diego, Cal. The engine and two cars overturned and Engineer Warboy and a fireman were killed. Several passengers were injured.

A marriage license was issued at Mobile, Ala., to Jonathan L. Bourne, former United States senator from Oregon, to wed Miss Frances Baker Turner. The former Oregon senator gave his age as seventy and the bride-to-be as twenty-nine.

The first of nine transport planes being constructed for the government was put through its trial flight in Santa Monica, Cal., attaining a speed of 120 miles an hour.

Earl Woodward, farm hand and former convict, and Lucille Chatterton, eleven-year-old girl he is alleged to have kidnapped, were captured in a barn on the Howe farm in Brookfield, Vt. The girl was unharmed.

A certified check for \$146,000,000, the largest ever drawn by an American banking house, changed hands in payment for Dodge Bros. in the board room of the Central Union Trust company at New York. Uncle Sam's share of the \$146,000,000 will be about \$12,000,000. That represents approximately the tax liability of the Dodge heirs.

Morris Diamond and Joseph Diamond, brothers, and John Farina, went to the electric chair in Sing Sing prison for the murder in Brooklyn of two bank messengers in 1923.

Personal—

Science for the first time in America officially crowned a woman with its laurels by the election of Miss Florence Rena Sabin, physiologist at Johns Hopkins Medical school at Baltimore, to life membership in the National Academy of Sciences, which terminated its annual meeting in Washington.

Representative Arthur B. Williams of Battle Creek, Mich., died at Johns Hopkins hospital in Baltimore.

John C. Coolidge, eighty, father of the President, submitted to examination by two specialists at Boston. The examination has disclosed nothing more than slight weakness incidental to advanced age.

Ralph D. Paine, author and war correspondent, was found dead at Concord. He was a war correspondent during the Cuban rebellion, Spanish-American war, and the Boxer uprising in China. He was federal fuel administrator in 1918.

Henry S. Van Fleet, who for sixty-five years published the New York Clipper, a former weekly theatrical publication, died at his home in Yonkers, N. Y., in his one hundredth year.

Emile Daeschner, ambassador to the United States from France, was a guest at the home of Vice President Dawes in Evanston, Ill.

Foreign—

A Conservative member of the Canadian parliament gave notice at Ottawa he will present a bill calling for the exclusion of all Asiatic immigrants.

Italian and Belgian oil interests have gained concessions for 30 years on petroleum fields northeast of Tiflis.

Sao Paulo rebels are preparing to attack the port of La Guayra on the Parana river border, dispatches to Buenos Aires declare.

The prince of Wales arrived at Cape Town on the battle cruiser Repulse for his visit to South Africa.

A Presidential decree issued at Mexico City, abolishes the Mexican free ports, established by Provisional President Huerta October 6, 1920.

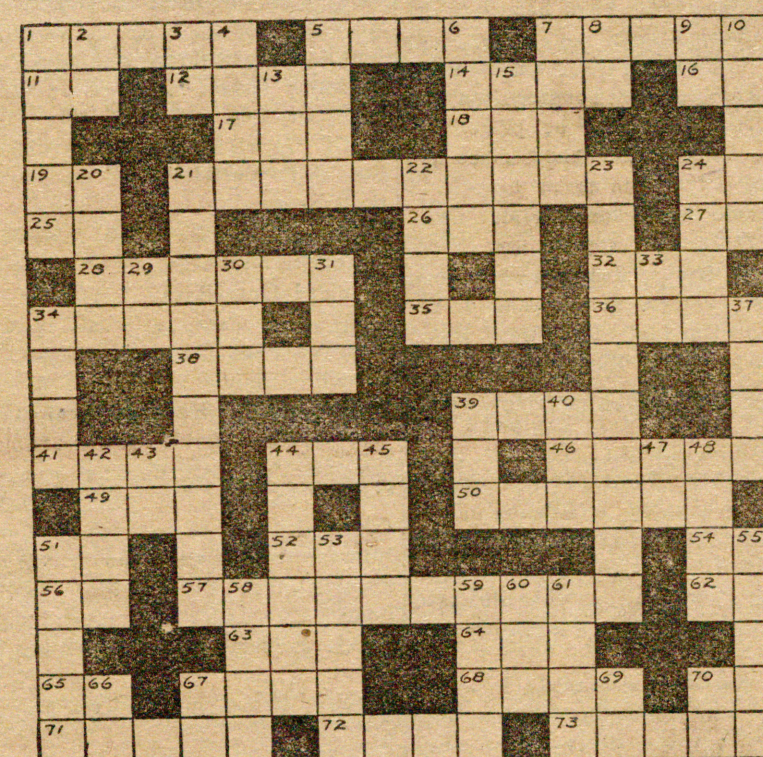
A dispatch to the Rome Tribuna from its Sofia correspondent reports a renewed outbreak of fighting between Bulgarian troops and Communists. Casualties are believed to be heavy. The dispatch says a sanguinary battle was fought in Sofia. The population of Sofia became panic-stricken because of intermittent explosions. The explosions were caused by attempts of government forces to blast the Communists out of underground dugouts.

Moscow propaganda for May day collapsed utterly throughout Europe. In nearly every section government machinery went ahead as usual and no challenge was heard throughout an unusually uneventful day.

A girl was shot and killed and several persons were wounded in Mexico City in a clash between paraders which climaxed the Mexican capital's May day. The Communists had devoted the day to denouncing the government.

All the ordinary activities of Russia stood still while endless legions of workers, soldiers, Communists, and boy and girl scouts, forming mile-long battalions and carrying inflammatory banners, celebrated May day in true Bolshevik fashion.

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



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Horizontal.

- 1—Species of bird
- 5—Sacred bird
- 11—Part of the verb "to be"
- 12—Quick
- 16—Preposition
- 18—A measure
- 21—Overshadows
- 24—Allowing that
- 25—Sun god
- 27—Preposition
- 32—Groove
- 35—Beast of burden
- 36—Kingdom of Persia
- 38—Holy picture
- 39—To saturate
- 40—A priestly vestment
- 46—Rears up
- 50—Collection of units
- 51—Indefinite article
- 52—Oriental snail
- 54—Personal pronoun
- 56—Exist
- 62—Goddess of earth
- 64—Tribe of Indians
- 67—Help
- 70—Part of the verb "to be"
- 71—To wipe out
- 72—Situation set apart
- 73—Large member of deer family

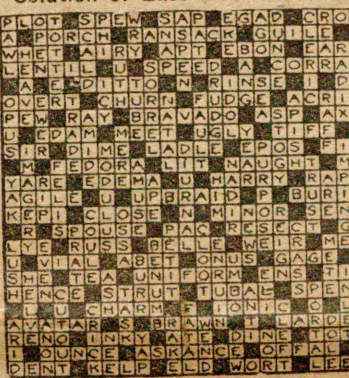
Vertical.

- 1—Character in Genesis
- 2—Measure of type
- 3—Connected with
- 4—Species of plant
- 5—Note of entry
- 6—Small piece
- 8—Above
- 9—Note of musical scale
- 10—Support
- 15—Abodes for travelers
- 20—Deputy of sultan
- 21—Resembling a sand flea
- 22—Hindu title
- 23—Can be drawn together
- 24—A small part

- 20—A musical note
- 30—Species of bird
- 31—To harden
- 32—Birthplace of Abraham
- 34—Besides
- 35—Unrighteousness
- 42—Smooth consonant
- 43—Enclosed
- 44—The highest point
- 45—Used in fishing
- 47—Personal pronoun
- 48—Narrowminded person
- 51—Dwell
- 53—Posts for ship's cables
- 55—Under strain
- 58—River in Germany
- 59—Beast of burden
- 60—Goddess of mischief
- 61—Two or more together
- 66—Else
- 69—Denial
- 70—Part of verb "to be"

The solution will appear in next issue

Solution of Last Week's Puzzle.



HOW TO SOLVE A CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

When the correct letters are placed in the white spaces this puzzle will spell words both vertically and horizontally. The first letter in each word is indicated by a number, which refers to the definition listed below the puzzle. Thus No. 1 under the column headed "horizontal" defines a word which will fill the white spaces up to the first black square to the right, and a number under "vertical" defines a word which will fill the white squares to the next black one below. No letters go in the black spaces. All words used are dictionary words, except proper names. Abbreviations, slang, initials, technical terms and obsolete forms are indicated in the definitions.

NURSERY RHYME PUZZLE



HAPPY LITTLE JAPPY

YOU happy little Jappy,
Who came from far Japan,
Where the cherry blooms are pink
upon the trees;
'Neath the lanterns hanging nigh,
With your parasol close by,
Come take a 'rickshaw ride upon my knees.
Find another Jap. Upper side down, behind doll.

19,000 KILLED BY AUTOS IN YEAR

450,000 Persons Injured in United States During 1924.

New York.—Automobiles caused 19,000 deaths and injuries to 450,000 persons in the United States in 1924, statistics made public by the National Bureau of Casualty and Surety Underwriters revealed. This is a daily average of 52 dead and 5,050 injured. Of the dead, 5,700 were children.

Notwithstanding the death total, the largest ever reported, the bureau finds signs of encouragement in a pronounced fall in the rate of increase of accidents.

The increase in deaths in 1923 over 1922 was 20 per cent, while the increase in 1924 was only 4 per cent. This was attributed to organized campaigns to reduce accidents.

A comparison of the automobile death rate with the number of cars registered shows a steady decrease. In 1915 the number of deaths for every 10,000 automobiles was 24, each succeeding year showing a decrease until the 1924 figures indicate only 9.6 deaths for every 10,000 cars. There are 17,500,000 cars in the United States.

Grade crossing accidents took 1,688 lives, a decrease of 71.

Since 1908 the death rate due to motor car accidents has increased steadily until today automobiles cause more deaths than all other vehicles, including trains and street cars, combined.

President Lauds Role of Jews in American History

Washington.—A high tribute was paid by President Coolidge to the part played by the Jews in the history of the United States.

The President spoke at the dedication exercises attending the laying of the corner stone of Washington's new Jewish community center. Taking as his text the deeds of the heroes of the Old Testament and recalling the fact that the Hebrew law was one of the principal sources from which the codes of the original colonies were drawn, he traced briefly the contributions which the Jews of America have made in the way of statecraft, science, literature, art, business, finance, philanthropy, and the spiritual life of the nation.

He dwelt on the great task that confronted the colonial fathers in welding a nation of many nationalities and creeds, and he warned that the work of spiritual unification is not yet completed.

Balloon Race Is Won by Van Orman; Flies 600 Miles

St. Joseph, Mo.—W. T. Van Orman, piloting the Goodyear III, covered the greatest distance in the national elimination balloon race, which ended on Sunday when the last two bags came to earth.

Van Orman landed at Reform, Ala., outstripping the veteran Capt. H. E. Honeywell by about 40 miles. Captain Honeywell brought the St. Joseph down at Aberdeen, Miss.

In a message reporting his landing Van Orman estimated the distance he covered at 530 miles. A rough measurement by map showed the distance to be approximately 600 miles.

The race carried a cash prize of \$1,000 for the winner, the Litchfield trophy, and the right to represent the United States in the international balloon race. Second place got \$500.

\$150,000 Derby Entry Dies; Poison Suspected

Baltimore, Md.—Willis Sharpe Kilmer's Preakness and derby candidate, Sunny Man, died at the Pimlico track, after an ailment of several days which local veterinarians believe was due to poisoning.

Three veterinarians who saw Sunny Man before his death expressed the opinion, according to J. P. Smith, trainer of the Kilmer string, the ailment was caused by a "pill" of chloral and arsenic administered prior to the race at Havre de Grace. The Kilmer colt was insured for \$150,000.

Moroccans Mobilize for Drive Against French

Tetuan, Spanish Morocco.—Information reaching Tetuan from the interior is to the effect that Abd-El-Krim, the Moroccan leader, is preparing a great offensive against the French zone of influence. He is said to have mobilized his Rifian forces at Yebelt and the greater part of the Gamaras at Beni Zermal.

Abd-El-Krim's objective is Fez, the capital.

Professor at Yale Dies

New Haven, Conn.—Charles Foster Kent, fifty-seven, professor of Semitic languages and biblical literature at Yale university, is dead. Professor Kent had been connected with the faculty at Yale since 1901.

Reformatory Barn Burns

Ionia, Mich.—The cattle barn of the Michigan reformatory was destroyed by fire. The loss was \$10,000. Seventy-five blooded Holsteins were rescued unharmed.

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Henry Hasse, carpenter, 509 E. Olive St., Staunton, Ill., says: "My back was lame and sore as a result of the constant ache. In getting out to work I was about all in. Often my head ached and I was nervous and irritable. My kidneys acted and was cured."

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At All Druggists

Southwest Suburban Inter-Community Church Night Plans

(continued from front page) evening.

The classes will be followed at 8:35 by a popular inspirational address for all by an outstanding leader in religious work. For next Wednesday evening the committee has been fortunate in securing Dr. Emerson D. Bradshaw, General Secretary of the Chicago Council of Religious Education, who will give an address illustrated with pictures, his subject will be "The Educational Task of the Church".

The churches cooperating in this plan, which is a new idea in suburban church work, are the Congregational church of Oak Lawn, Rev. George Horst, pastor; the Worth Community church, Rev. Paul Sanders, pastor; the Presbyterian church, of Palos Park, Rev. Paulding D. Ferry, pastor; the Orland Park M. E. church, Rev. Myron S. Collins, pastor. The order in which the meetings will rotate is as follows:

Orland Park, May 13th; Palos Park, May 20th; Oak Lawn, May 27th; Worth, June 3rd.

It is hoped that the people of these churches and communities will appreciate the unusual opportunity thus offered for training in religious work as well as of hearing splendid addresses which any of the churches alone would be unable to secure. The opportunity afforded for becoming better acquainted with the people of the other communities will be an added pleasure. Anyone desiring to enroll in this training school should notify the pastor of his community, and also turn in supply reservations to him, if desired.

Church workers of other near by communities are urged to take advantage of the opportunity offered by these classes. They may register for the course of ten weeks by addressing the registrar, Wm. Beagley Orland, Illinois and enclosing the registration fee of fifty cents. Registration may also be made at the first session on May 13th at Orland. Visitors are welcomed at all of the sessions.

The Orland M. E. church had done much for the betterment of the social life of the community by putting on weekly moving pictures at the church. Only the best and always clean pictures are shown and these have been a big factor in keeping the young folks as well as the older ones interested in the life of the community and church. This shows that the church can provide the proper entertainment.

ORLAND

Mrs. Ralph Stellwagen received the sad news of the death of her uncle Mr. W. B. Harwood, at his home in Santa Ana, California on Thursday, April 30. Mr. Harwood is well known in this locality having been a resident of Orland for many years and is a brother of Mrs. Stellwagen's mother, Mrs. Edwin Cooper of La Grange, Ill.

Mr. Harwood was also the son-in-law of William Cox.

Over thirty friends and relatives gathered at the home of William Cox Saturday evening, April 25 to help him celebrate his 80th birthday. He is one of the oldest settlers in Orland. All had a good time.

Orland played Palos Park Sunday at Orland and showed some classy playing. Both teams played wonderful ball and it was a question who would win. But Orland due to 2 hits in the ninth marched home the victor. Such first class playing deserves the support of all local fans and all should turn out to cheer their home team. Waldvogel pitched for Orland. "Dr" Nicolai doing the receiving.

Score R H
Orland 4 7
Palos 3 4

Orland Lutheran Church German service 10 a. m. S. S. English service 7:30 p. m. Bazaar and indoor picnic May 20th.

Ladies Aid of the Lutheran church re-elected all the present officers. Mrs. L. Nicolai, President, Mrs. Gebhardt Koehler, Secretary, Mrs. G. Brier, Treasurer.

Miss Mildred Olsen of Englewood spent the week end of her vacation from her duties as secretary in the Normal College at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Gee in Orland.

The family of Lawyer Thomas, who lived in Orland for about 10 years, spent Sunday visiting old friends in and around Orland.

MMrs. Stephen Sayers is on the sick list. She and Mr. Sayers have temporarily taken up residence with their daughter, Mrs. Chas. Cooper. Mrs. Sarah Peterson of Chicago, was out Sunday to spend the day with her sister, Mrs. Stephen Sayers.

Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Gee of Chicago visited the latter's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Schussler on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright and son of Chicago visited at the home of Geo. Gee on Saturday. Mrs. Wright was formerly Goldie Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Gee and Miss Mildred Olsen of Chicago spent Sunday at the home of George Gee.

Miss Iva Hanson and Miss Harriett Austin spent Sunday visiting friends in Chicago.

ORLAND M. E. NOTES

Next Sunday, May 10th, is Mothers' Day. You are invited to a special service at 11:30 a. m. (Daylight Saving Time) in honor of "the best mother who ever lived"—our Mother. It living, she will greatly appreciate your attending this service held in her honor. If departed, it will be a beautiful act in memory of her self sacrificing love. All mothers of the church membership and congregation are especially invited to be present.

The early part of the service last Sunday evening was in charge of the Adult Bible class and Mr. Chas. Cooper presided. Prayer was offered by Wm. Beagley. Special musical numbers were a song by the class, and a duet by Miss Helen Briggs and Mrs. Clarence E. Beagley. The slides on "Famine Prevention in China" were explained by Mrs. Chas. Cooper. The two reel picture, "The Fruit of the Family Tree", carried an interesting message which was further elaborated by the pastor. Next Sunday evening a picture "Samson" will illustrate the sermon on "The Weakness of Strength".

The picture for May 15 is Booth Tarkington's appealing story, "Boy of Mine", with Benny Alexander, the popular boy actor playing the leading part. This is a picture every parent should see. The hour is 8:30 p. m., Daylight Saving Time. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sayers and son, Earl, Mr. Ernest Evans and Rev. and Mrs. M. S. Collins and little daughter, Eleanor Doris were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Sayers last Sunday.

WORTH

Last Sunday night was the first evening the Vesper services were held and they were much enjoyed by all.

Sunday School begins at 9:45 now instead of 10 o'clock. The choir is making a fine showing at the different services. Hazel Stromberg is the director now.

The girls of the Ever Gay Club spent a very enjoyable evening at the home of Nellie Crandell Wednesday, April 20. The attendance was almost perfect despite the terrible weather.

The girls were sorry to hear Mrs. G. M. Peterson was ill and unable to attend the meeting and hope she will soon recover.

A theatre party is planned for Thursday evening, May 7. The evening to be spent at the Chicago theatre.

The next meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. H. Ferrin Wednesday, May 13. Don't forget the date.

VILLAGE TREASURERS' REPORT OF TINLEY PARK, ILL.

Annual financial statement of the Village Treasurer of Tinley Park, Cook County, Illinois, from April 14, 1924 to April 24, 1925.

RESOURCES

Cash on hand.....	\$1529.71
Received from Harry A. Mager, Auto Licenses.....	\$269.00
Received from Harry A. Mager, Business Taxes.....	\$686.50
Received from Harry A. Mager, Water Taxes.....	\$1008.70
Received from Harry A. Mager, Hall Rents.....	\$49.00
Received from Harry A. Mager, Dance Permits.....	\$30.00
Received from Harry A. Mager, Peddler Licenses.....	\$13.00
Received from Harry A. Mager, Gambling Raid.....	\$10.00
Received from Henry Wymann, Slot Machine Raid.....	\$50.00
Received from Ill. Bell Tel. Co., Refund on bill.....	\$1.20
Received from Bremen State Bank Interest on Saving account.....	\$27.67
Received from Bremen State Bank Loan.....	\$1500.00
Received from Bert H. Fulton, Taxes.....	\$2327.35
Received from County Treasurer Taxes.....	\$658.04
	\$8160.17

EXPENDITURES

Contingent Fund.....	\$118.30
Salary Fund.....	\$319.50
Police Fund.....	\$62.62
Street Lighting Fund.....	\$1068.36
Street Fund.....	\$1791.01
Finance Fund.....	\$1026.67
Water Fund.....	\$605.90
Loan.....	\$1500.00
Cash on hand April 13, 1925.....	\$767.81
	\$8160.17

Village of Tinley Park,

STATE OF ILLINOIS, COUNTY COOK:—

I, Fred Goebel, Treasurer of the Village of Tinley Park, State of Illinois, County of COOK, do solemnly swear that this statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FRED GOEBEL,

Village Treasurer.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of May 1925:

Elizabeth Hardinger,

(Seal) Notary Public

The Worth Volunteer Fire Department is going to give a dance at the Palos Club House at Palos Park on Saturday night, May 30. Music by Formento's orchestra. The proceeds are to be used for the benefit of the Worth Fire Dept.

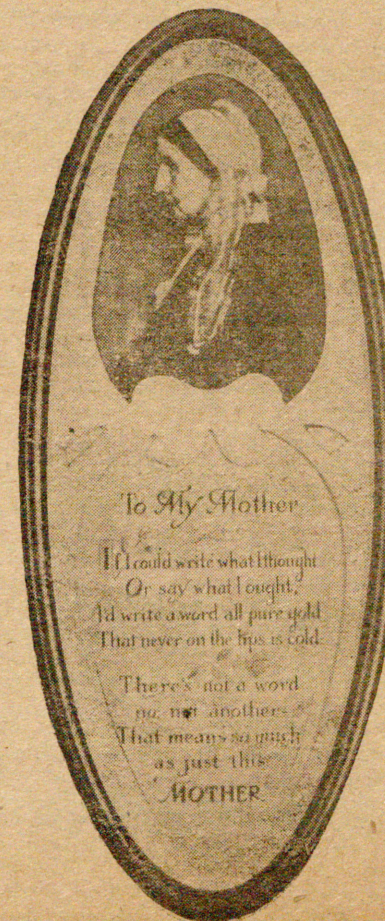
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MOKENA

Mokena defeated New Lenox last Sunday 9 to 6. Chuck Lang got 16 strike outs for the home team. Next Sunday May 10 Mokena will play the Fairmont A. C. at Mokena. Fairmont is known to have one of the strongest teams around Joliet and Mokena management promises five new men in the lineup. A very hot game is looked for.

The dance held at the pavilion at Mokena Saturday night by the Mokena Baseball team was very largely attended and over \$200 were cleared which are to be used to defray the expense of the ball team.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. J. V. Hall next Thursday afternoon.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to all for their kindness and sympathy shown us during the recent illness and death of our beloved husband and father, also for the beautiful floral offerings and especially for the comforting words of the Rev A. R. Mangus.

Mrs. John Oestreich and children.

The Mokena Men's Club will conduct their first dance of the season at the pavilion next Saturday night. Mrs. Anna Sutter moved this week into the Pfleger flat.

Ed. Schmidt has bought a lot of Mrs. Rose Moriarty west of her home and has started excavating for the basement of the house he will build.

Mrs. Mary Marti entertained as week end guests Mr. and Mrs. Irving Crate and son Harold of Joliet Mr. Fred Smith, Mr. Herman Remar, Mr. Jim Marine and Mr. Arthur Daris of Chicago.

WHEN in need of Printing see what we can do before you go elsewhere.

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PROBATE NOTICE

Estate of John Martie, Deceased.
The undersigned having been appointed administrator with will annexed of the last will and testament of John Martie late of Mokena in the County of Will and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the Probate Court of Will County, at the Court House in Joliet, at the July term, on the first Monday in July next (being the sixth day of said month), at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.
Dated this fourth day of May A. D. 1925.

EDWARD MARTIE,
Administrator with Will annexed as
aforesaid.
Orr & Brumund,
Attorneys.



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REFORMS IN STATE SUPERVISION OF BANKS AS ADVOCATED BY BANKERS

By FRANK W. SIMMONDS
American Bankers Association

ALTHOUGH many states have unexcelled systems of bank supervision by public authority, in some instances political entanglements have resulted in lax methods and dangerous practices. Public opinion today demands that bank supervision be as free from partisan interference as the judiciary itself.



Frank W. Simmonds

State banking laws are increasing in number and diversity. Much thought and study has been given by the State Bank Division of the American Bankers Association to uniformly efficient supervision. It is on record as urging that the office of Bank Commissioner be freed from entangling politics and divorced from all other functions of state government; that the tenure of office be made more secure and lasting, with sufficient compensation and discretionary power to attract men of outstanding executive ability and successful banking experience, and that bank examiners be selected from those having the requisite qualifications.

A careful study and survey of state bank supervision has been made with the cooperation of State Bank Commissioners and state bankers to bring out the high lights of successful supervision, and at the same time indicate remediable weaknesses, as the basis for formulating a model code of law dealing with bank supervision, and also for developing public opinion in favor of its general adoption.

This survey shows that in forty-one states Bank Commissioners are appointed by the governors and generally hold office "during their pleasure." In two states they are chosen by popular election, in others they are chosen by a banking board, but in only a few is the advice of organized banking considered. In Mississippi the selection is made by a convention of delegates from the state chartered banks.

Long Terms Make Bureaucrats

The term of office was found to range from two years to six. The majority of recommendations favor a five-year term, reasoning that a long term of life tenure tended toward bureaucracy in office, while a short term was condemned on the grounds that the Bank Commissioner would scarcely have time to become thoroughly conversant with his field of work before the expiration of his term of service and the public would lose the fruits of his experience. A five year term is long enough to permit his rendering useful service through capitalizing his experience and then if he is found capable the chances of his reappointment would be strong.

It was found that duties other than bank supervision are frequently imposed on the banking department, ranging from insurance matters to irrigation projects and even state hail insurance. The almost unanimous expression of opinion is that the position of bank commissioner is a task of such outstanding importance as to demand that he devote all his time and attention strictly to problems of bank supervision and regulation.

Some states impose no statutory qualifications whatever for Bank Commissioner. A number merely require that he have nominal qualifications, in many cases purely negative.

Powers of Bank Commissioners

In the majority of states, the Bank Commissioner is given more or less power to approve or deny applications for charters of state banks. Clearly this authority should be exercised chiefly with a view to supplying each community with safe, adequate banking facilities. Hence the importance of carefully weighing all factors involved such as the character and responsibility of the organizers and the community's needs for banking facilities. In the very nature of things no one is so well qualified to pass on charter questions as the Bank Commissioner. Comments from all states favor granting the banking department large if not absolute jurisdiction in granting bank charters.

A number of states now confer more or less complete authority on the state banking department to act as receiver in liquidating failed banks, usually providing that the Bank Commissioner must file a report with the court for approval. In other states the court names a receiver and the Bank Commissioner thereafter has no jurisdiction or authority. The almost unanimous opinion of bankers and the Bank Commissioners is that authority should be placed in the banking department as it permits the employment of experienced bank administrators in winding up the affairs of a bank, is more expedient, economical and altogether more satisfactory.

Changes Needed

The consensus as to changes needed to strengthen the work of the state banking departments is summarized in the following recommendations:

1. Provide adequate salaries.
 2. Give Bank Commissioner large discretionary power in granting charters and enforcing bank regulations.
 3. Remove the office from partisan politics by providing for election or nomination of the Commissioners by the bankers.
 4. Provide for a sufficient number of examiners, with adequate pay, and free their appointment from politics.
 5. Give the Banking Department full authority to act as receiver in the case of failed banks.
 6. Make Bank Commissioners' terms five years.
 7. Make requirements for Bank Commissioner eligibility not less than five years of successful banking experience and well recognized executive ability.
- Bank supervision, when wisely and impartially administered, is capable of rendering one of the highest types of service a state can give its people.

Discoveries Affect Living Conditions

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sult of Engineering
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Research results which touch the lives of most every person, although often not realized by them, have been discovered by the University of Illinois engineering experiment station and have been incorporated in building projects of many lines, in railroad operation and maintenance, in the construction of buildings, in heating our homes, and in other ways too numerous to mention.

Many of these important contributions go back several years; some of them are just being introduced.

As soon as these new facts are discovered and conclusively proved, they are given to the world in printed form. The civil, railway or construction engineer applies them to his especial work and as a result our house lasts longer because of these Illinois discoveries, the office building in which we work is safer because of them, we ride with greater safety on the railroad trains, we enjoy better roads, and we are able to hear an address better in large halls. Soon we will enjoy improved radio.

Such discoveries, eagerly seized and accepted by the engineer, are important not only because they improve our living conditions but because they make us economically richer. It is impossible, of course, to set a definite dollar-and-cents value on discoveries of this sort.

However, a leading authority in the state once said that if one of these contributions, namely, the Parr low-temperature process for coking Illinois coal, proved as successful on a commercial scale as it had in laboratory tests, it would "be worth more to the state and nation than all the money the state will appropriate to the university in the next 100 years." Every indication points to complete commercial success of the project.

Thirty-eight important research investigations are now under way in the engineering experiment station of the university, in addition to ten very important projects known as "Co-operative Investigations."

Of the thirty-eight, five relate to Ceramic Engineering, such as "the aging of clays" and "a study of phosphate cements"; five relate to Civil Engineering, including "Impact stresses on highway bridges" and "structural effects of vibration," while four touch on Electrical Engineering, including several "radio observations." In Mechanical Engineering eleven projects are under investigation, such as research in "mechanical refrigeration" and "heat transmission through boiler tubes."

Several important studies are being made by the Mining Engineering department, while in Municipal and Sanitary Engineering the problems being investigated relate to concrete, house plumbing, etc. The most interesting, from the layman's viewpoint, of the work being carried on by the department of physics is the radio tube work and the study of the acoustics of buildings. Four lines of investigation are being carried on by the Railway Engineering department.

The co-operative investigations are so termed because manufacturing concerns are so much interested in the solution of certain problems upon which the university is working that they contribute money or materials, or both, to the university for carrying on this work. Among these are the "Fatigue of Metals Investigations," "Warm Air Furnace Research," "Hudson River Vehicular Tunnel Investigation," "An Investigation of Molding Sand Characteristics," "Co-operative Coal Mines Investigations," "Investigations of Stresses in Railway Track," "Drainage Investigations," "Railroad Signal Research," "Gas Engineering" and "Public Utilities Investigation."

Bigger Corn Yields

Tests made by the University of Illinois, on 12 experiment fields located in different parts of the state, show that the use of limestone and the growing of sweet clover as a green manure crop swelled the yield of corn more than 11 bushels an acre. This was an average for all 12 fields over a period of eight years. During those same eight years Illinois grew an average of 9,500,000 acres of corn annually. On the basis of the results from the 12 experiment fields the universal use of limestone and sweet clover would swell the total annual production in Illinois by more than 107,850,000 bushels.

The value of all such experiments lies in more efficient production rather than in increased total production. By increasing his acre yield of corn the farmer can devote less land to this crop and more to legumes, thereby improving his rotation system and paving the way for sound soil program.

The growth of the college of law of the University of Illinois for the past three years interests members of the Illinois bar. There are 254 students in that college, 54 more than last year and 111 more than 1922. There are nine full-time men on the law faculty.

The University's Policy

"The policy of the University of Illinois, adopted in 1921, on the subject of appropriations appears to be working out well. The board of trustees at that time submitted to the legislature and the people a long-term program of development both in expansion of educational work and in construction of buildings. The university asked for ten and one-half million dollars for the two years following the session of that year and stated that it would ask other assemblies for the same amount through an indefinite term of years. Each year a fixed portion of this sum is devoted to new buildings. The rest of it is used to meet current expenses, such as salaries and supplies. We could use more money to advantage, says President Kinley, but are determined to go as far as we can with the funds which we ask for and I am sure we shall be successful in remaining within our budget without cutting down on quality of education.

"The university's course has inspired confidence and made influential friends. It is business-like and appeals to the good judgment of all classes. The time will come, probably it is not far off, when the budget will have to be increased but the wisdom of a definite policy covering a term of years and providing a concrete program to be developed steadily in that period cannot be questioned."

—Illinois State Journal, Springfield.

University Will Ask No Increased Funds

No Increase in the amount of money for the University of Illinois will be asked from the legislature by the board of trustees of that institution.

With the explanation that there is no limit to what an institution like a great state university can do from the educational and scientific viewpoint but that it was thought inadvisable to ask the taxpayers of the state to make an additional outlay for the university at the present time, President Kinley said that the same amount that was granted two years ago will be asked again, \$5,250,000 per year for two years.

At the same time it was pointed out that the officials of a neighboring state university were asking this year for something over sixteen millions from the legislature in that state.

It has been the hope of the members of the Illinois board of trustees that this same amount granted by the legislature and approved by the governor two years ago will be all that it will be necessary to ask for any biennium over a period of several years. Part of this money every year will be used for buildings and the remainder for operation and maintenance.

Under this plan, if the amount asked meets the approval of the people and is granted by the members of the legislature and approved by the governor, \$4,250,000 per year for the next two years will be available for the necessary operation and maintenance of the university while one million dollars will be available for the construction of a second unit of the library, the erection of a facade and the addition of one end of the armory, a building for the architecture department, an additional wing to the men's gymnasium, and an addition to the pharmacy building in Chicago.

Make Peat Swamps Pay

Much peaty swamp land in northern Illinois has been changed into profitable farm land as a result of successful tests which the University of Illinois has made with potassium fertilizers. Most of these soils have the other elements needed for plant growth, but lack potassium and will produce almost no crop until this element is added, the experiments brought out.

Near Tampico, Whiteside county, peaty loam given an application of potassium produced from 41 to 55 bushels of corn an acre as a three-year average, while land not treated failed to produce a single ear. Results almost as striking were obtained in Kankakee and Mason counties.

Enrollment at University Shows Steady Growth

Enrollment in the University of Illinois has increased during the past quarter century from 2,225 students in 1900 to an enrollment of 11,089 in 1924, figures in the university registrar's office show.

In 1900, 2,225 students registered in the university. Within the next ten years the increase was rapid, 5,118 being enrolled in 1910. In 1920, 9,208 registered in university courses.

The 10,000 mark was passed in 1922.

Announces Discovery

A discovery of importance to the cocoa industry of the world has been announced by University of Illinois scientists.

TINLEY PARK

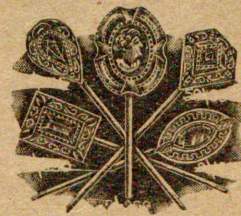
The Tinley Park Community Club meeting held at the village hall on Wednesday night was quite well attended. The proposition of John MM. Bettenhausen to move the old school building on his lot and to payments;house/ consists of two remodel it, was accepted.

Mrs. George Boldt has purchased a new Chrysler car for her son Henry.

Rudolph Freberg has returned to the Harvey hospital.

The plays which were given at the Saenger hall the past week drew big crowds.

Alexander Uzemack who invented a weed cutting attachment for use on cultivators is having quite a demand for it.



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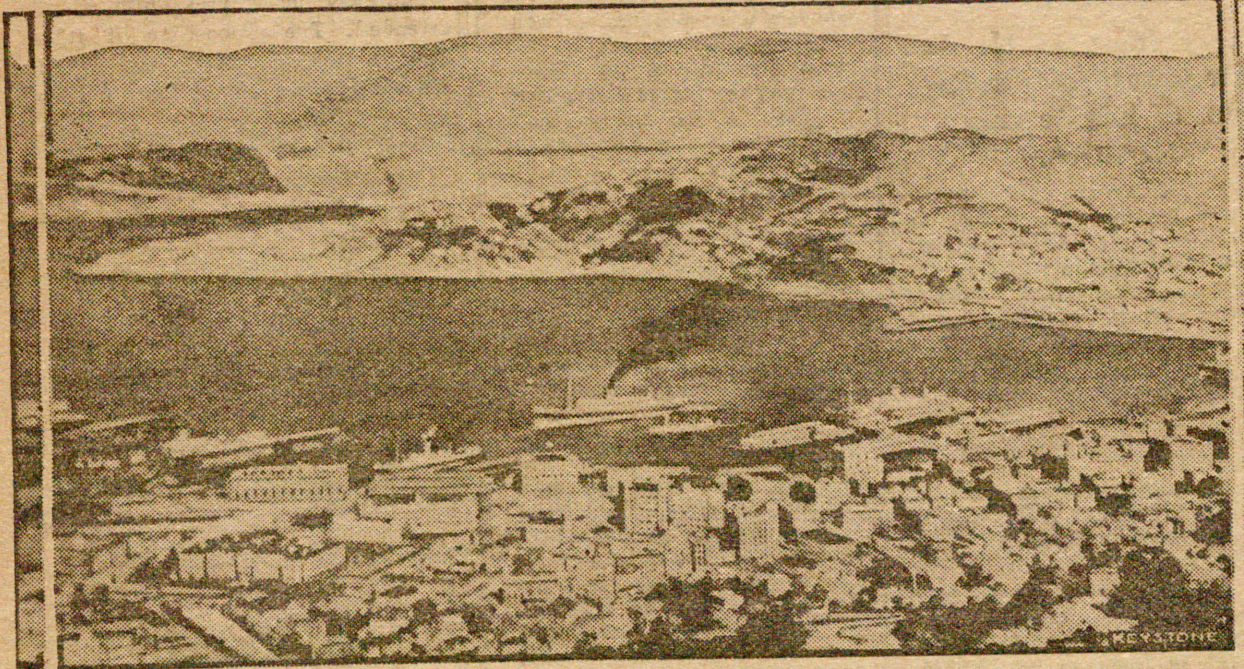


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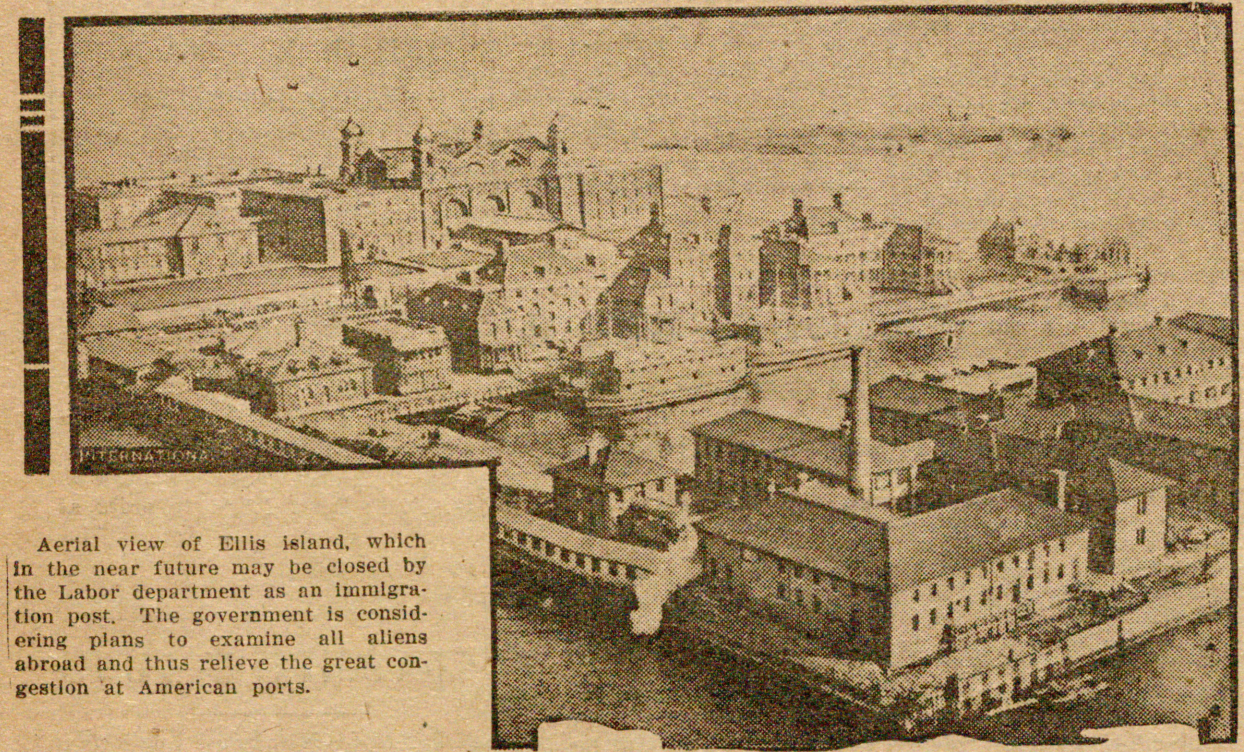


One of the Pacific Fleet's Ports of Call



A birdseye view of Wellington harbor, New Zealand, one of the ports which the American Pacific fleet will stop at in its western tour.

Government May Drop Use of Ellis Island



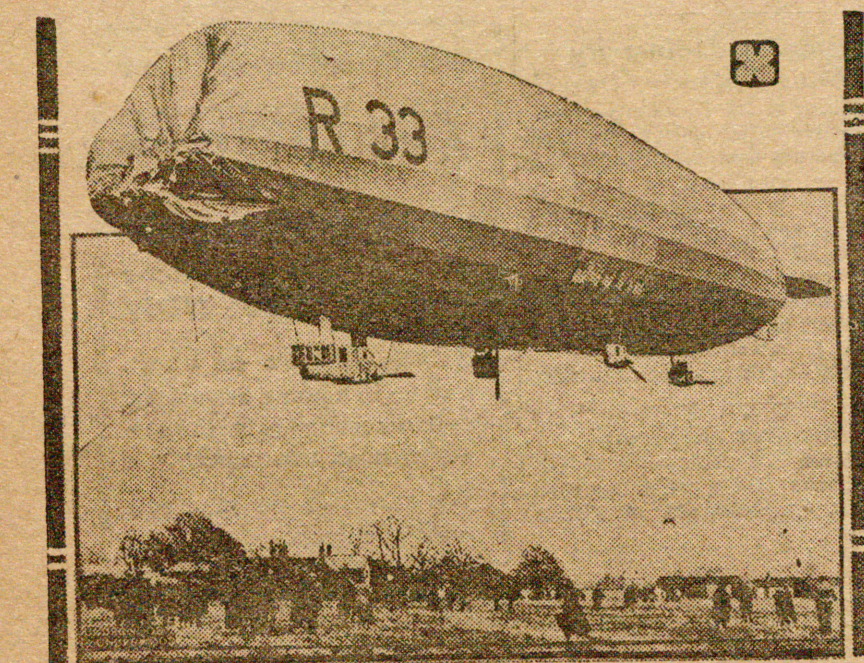
Aerial view of Ellis island, which in the near future may be closed by the Labor department as an immigration post. The government is considering plans to examine all aliens abroad and thus relieve the great congestion at American ports.

Hindenburg President of Germany



New portrait of Field Marshal von Hindenburg, who was elected President of the German republic.

Dirigible Safe but Nose Smashed



Twenty-nine hours after being torn from her moorings at Pulham, England, and blown across the North sea, the British dirigible R-33 returned to her hangar with her bow badly crumpled. She is shown coming down.

TEACHER IS NOVELIST



Miss Mathilde Elker, a Washington school teacher, has just published her first novel, "Mrs. Mason's Daughters," which is called one of the four best books of the year. It is Miss Elker's first book, but now she intends to write another.

CAMP FIRE MESSENGER



Katherine Hayden, camp fire girl, is shown holding "Radio," the pigeon which brought the message which she is reading from Chicago to New York. The pigeon was dispatched from the Chicago conference and made nearly as good time as the Twentieth Century train.

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Sunday School Lesson

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Lesson for May 10

PHILIP AND THE ETHIOPIAN TREASURER

LESSON TEXT—Acts 8:26-39.
GOLDEN TEXT—"The entrance of Thy words giveth light."—Ps. 119:130.
PRIMARY TOPIC—A Man Did What God Told Him.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Philip and the Ethiopian Treasurer.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—How Philip Won the Ethiopian.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Use of the Bible in Evangelism.

I. Philip Meeting the Ethiopian (vv. 26-30a).

1. Leaving Work by Divine Direction (v. 26).

The Lord called Philip away from a great work in Samaria and specifically directed him to this man. Abrahamlike, he obeyed the divine command not knowing why he should leave the work in Samaria and go into a desert place. As he journeyed on by faith he espied the state chariot of the Ethiopian treasurer. The Spirit of God directed him to go near and join himself to the chariot. The tactful question put to the treasurer gained him a seat by the side of this dignified officer. The mission which at first seemed so unpromising was now clear.

2. An Officer of State Seeking the Way of Salvation (vv. 27-28).

The Ethiopian had been to Jerusalem to worship. Despite his high official position he was not ashamed of the worship of God. The journey from that far off country required much hardship and expense, but to the one whose soul yearns after God, this is all joy.

3. A Providential Meeting in the Desert (vv. 29-30).

The coming together of these two men was clearly the predetermined way of God.

II. Philip Preaching to the Ethiopian (vv. 30b-35).

1. The Ethiopian's Employment on the Way (v. 30).

His occupation at the time of this meeting was reading the Word of God. At the invitation of the Ethiopian Philip joined himself to the chariot and found him reading from the 53d chapter of Isaiah. This is a most excellent way to spend one's time while traveling.

2. The Absolute Need of a Preacher (v. 31).

The Ethiopian was reading one of the clearest testimonies to the Messiah in the Old Testament, yet he was unable to get anything out of it. The fact that the Ethiopian, a great statesman, needed an interpreter of the Scriptures, even such a plain passage as the 53d chapter of Isaiah, shows the absolute need of a preacher. The gospel must be experienced before one can be a witness to its saving power. The human mind is blind to spiritual things, making the work of an evangelist indispensable. If a statesman of this rank was unable to grasp the meaning of such a clear passage, it should not be thought strange that for the rank and file of men a guide is needed. God has designed that through the foolishness of preaching the world should be saved. Preaching the Word of God will always be necessary.

3. Philip's Message (vv. 32-35).

He began at the Scriptures which the Ethiopian was reading and preached unto him Jesus. This shows us that the person represented in the 53d chapter of Isaiah as suffering instead of others was Jesus instead of Israel, also that the central theme of the preacher's message should be Jesus. He did not preach Jesus as a great teacher, but as a Savior who had suffered and died instead of sinners. He preached Him as the one who had offered Himself as a ransom.

III. Philip Baptized the Ethiopian (vv. 36-38).

As a result of Philip's preaching the eunuch proposed baptism. When Christ is truly preached, men naturally desire to confess Him in baptism. Where this feeling is lacking, the gospel in its fullness is evidently not preached. The Ethiopian might have offered many excuses for neglecting this important ordinance, but like every man who is honest before God, he was willing at any cost to render obedience. The proof that men really believe in Jesus is their willingness to render obedience to His Word. It is faith in Christ that saves, but those who have genuine faith desire to seal it in baptism. Having secured from the Ethiopian the proper confession, Philip baptized him.

IV. The Ethiopian Rejoicing (v. 39).
Confession of Christ always brings joy. Those who obey the commandment of the Lord can go on their way rejoicing.

Truth

Truth is as impossible to be soiled by any outward touch as the sunbeam.—Milton.

Makes Life Worth While

It is faith in something and enthusiasm for something that makes a life worth looking at.

Godliness

Godliness shall not be an addition to my life, but it shall be my life itself.—C. H. Spurgeon.

HOW TO KEEP WELL

DR. FREDERICK R. GREEN
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STOMACH ULCERS AND BAD TEETH

ULCER of the stomach is comparatively common. This is partly due to the fact that more cases are recognized today than formerly. Many cases of what used to be called "chronic dyspepsia," regarded as a typical American disease, are now known to be ulcers of the stomach or duodenum.

In many cases the early symptoms are so mild and the ulcerations develop so slowly that the patient pays little attention to them or tries to relieve them by taking all sorts of "dyspepsia cures." Under any treatment or no treatment at all, the patient improves at times and then relapses. Finally, the pain, especially after eating, becomes so severe that it cannot be endured and the patient becomes alarmed. Sometimes a hemorrhage is the first sign of serious trouble.

In most cases, the patient is otherwise healthy, has a good appetite and eats well, but notices a pain or discomfort two or three hours after eating. This pain is a peculiar gnawing feeling. There may also be nausea, gas and vomiting. Soon the pain becomes constant, with soreness. It is relieved somewhat by eating but comes back in two or three hours. There is pain during the night and there is apt to be constipation and loss of weight, although some persons lose but little, if any.

Gradually the patients learn that some foods cause more pain than others. He learns that soda after meals makes him more comfortable and that milk and eggs cause less pain than acid foods. So he often goes on for years in a condition of misery and semi-invalidism, sometimes better, sometimes worse, never able to eat much of any kind of food without pain and consequently weak, irritable, undernourished and miserable.

This is the chronic case. In some, hemorrhage, perforation or obstruction caused by the scar tissue from the ulcer closing the opening from the stomach, may send the patient to the hospital for an emergency operation or cause sudden death in neglected cases.

Improved methods of examination, especially the X-ray, make it possible today to recognize ulcer of the stomach more easily than formerly. Better methods of treatment have relieved many sufferers that were without hope in earlier days.

But what is the cause of these ulcers? There are many explanations, no one of which has as yet been accepted. Certain it is that an ulcer of the stomach, like a sore on the skin, cannot occur until the lining of the stomach is injured or broken and until some kind of infection comes in contact with the broken membrane. Ulcers are more common in those who have tonsillitis and other infections of the mouth and throat. Particularly are they apt to occur in persons having bad teeth or abscesses around the roots of the teeth.

DEATH RATE IN COUNTRY

THE country is the best place to raise children. In spite of the so-called advantages of city life, a child born in the country has a better chance of living than one born in the city. Statistics of large life insurance companies show that a boy born in the country will live on the average seven and three-quarters years longer than a boy born in the city, or, as insurance actuaries say, the country boy has a life expectancy that is seven and three-quarters years longer than a city boy, while the country girl can figure on living six years longer than she would if she were born in the city.

So the country child gets a running start on the city child. If the advantage could be kept up through life, there would be no question of the supremacy of the country over the city.

Unfortunately, it isn't kept up. In some very important diseases, the death rate in the country is much higher than in the city. What's the use of being born in the country and having a longer life ahead of you at birth, if you are going to lose this advantage as soon as you come up against the diseases of childhood?

The death rate for whooping cough, for instance, is higher among country than among city children. On the other hand, the country child death rate for measles, scarlet fever and diphtheria is lower than the city child death rate.

The tuberculosis death rate shows a curious fact. The only treatment for tuberculosis that is of any value consists of fresh air, sunshine, rest and nourishing food. All these are found easier and more abundantly in the country than in the city. Yet the country tuberculosis death rate is higher than the city rate.

Smallpox kills more people in the country than in the city, probably on account of the neglect of vaccination. Influenza is also more fatal in the country. But heart disease (except angina), Bright's disease and all other kidney diseases, are much more common in the city than in the country.

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Hedgehog and Porcupine

Strictly speaking, the hedgehog is a small, insectivorous animal of nocturnal habits which lives in the Old world. There is no true hedgehog in the United States, but the American porcupine is popularly called hedgehog. So, in this country "hedgehog" and "porcupine" refer to the same animal.

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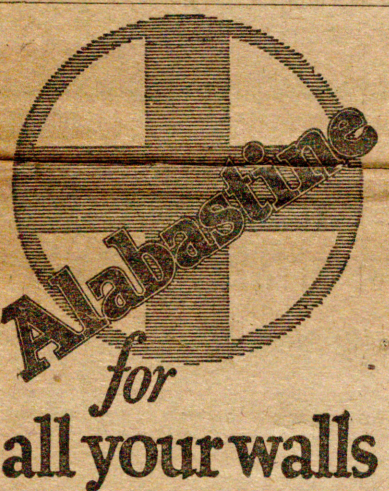
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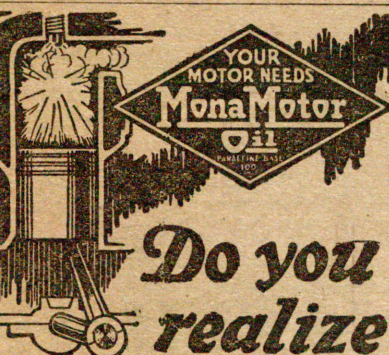
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CHAPTER XI—Continued

"I shall skip nothing. The woman I was to have married left me the evening before, and disappeared with another man. Had he been free to marry her she would have had no need to escape in secrecy. I gave up my work. I hunted them through the Southern states. My mind was obsessed with the idea of redeeming my honor. If I had found them I should have killed him. They knew it, and they fled before me. I gave them no rest. For five years I pursued them, running down every clue."

"You'll permit me to correct your memory on that point, John," said Lawson suavely. "For five years you wandered among tramps and hoboes, thinking that you were looking for your fiancée, but actually doing your searching in morphine visions. Such delusions of phenomenal activity are a recognized symptom of your disease. De Quincey imagined that he visited every corner of the earth while lying at home in an opium stupor."

"I never touched morphine until you gave it to me," said Lancaster.

"That delusion is part of your disease. No, John, you may have searched the suburban districts of Avonmouth, but you can't have gone far, because every few months you would turn up at the institute, looking shabbier and more disreputable on each occasion, and more and more morphine soaked. And every time I tried to set you up and help you, I was sorry for you, and you knew it and traded upon my pity; I was ashamed by you, and you knew that and traded upon my shame."

Lancaster hung his head; Joan said her hand lightly on his, and after that he continued to return Lawson's gaze steadfastly.

"I went to you, Jim Lawson," he said, "because I had placed you in charge of the institute when I elected to head the other branch of the trust fund, the Avonmouth hospital. I had given you the charge here because you were—"

"Your illegitimate half-brother," said Lawson bluntly. "We are not minding our words. Because you robbed me of my own birthright as your elder brother, by reason of the fact that my mother was not legally married to our father. Yes, go on."

"At last, Joan, I was broken down completely," continued Lancaster. "It was a monomania, that search of mine, as I came to understand afterward, a perverted pride that had eaten into my heart and left no place for other thoughts. But I did not become addicted to morphine until this man urged it upon me, under the guise of medical care. And even then I could have broken off the habit at any time, but I had no heart to, and it gave me relief from thoughts that tortured me."

"So they all think," said Lawson.

"It was he who told me that I could never break it off, who urged me to continue the use of it with sophisticated arguments which I had not the energy to oppose. I had been five years away from Avonmouth. The people at the Southern hospital believed me dead, and I did not deceive them. I never meant to return. When I came here it was always by night, to this man whom I believed to be my friend, to avoid shaming our name in the eyes of Millville. Thus none ever saw us together, and Lawson and I resembled each other as much as we do today."

"More, I hope, John," sneered the other. "The life one leads tells as the years go by."

"Nobody in these parts had seen me since I was a boy. I had left home young, and studied at Johns Hopkins and abroad. Lawson had taken my name. The old neighbors had gone away, and if any of the country folks have long memories, they have close tongues, too. The matron and Jenkins are both newcomers. I had passed out of memory."

"This devil saw his chance and grasped at it," he went on with sudden vehemence. "Here was the famous Doctor Lancaster, a broken man, an outcast, and believed in Avonmouth to be long since dead. And here was the Lancaster known to Millville and Lancaster village, at the head of this institute. Why shouldn't he get me to take his place here while he went to Avonmouth and claimed to be I? Lawson was ambitious. He wanted to be something bigger than the superintendent of a little hill institute. And he wanted to get his fingers on the trust fund at Avonmouth. Do I wrong you?" he demanded, turning fiercely upon the other.

"Not in the least; you honor me," said Lawson, with a suave bow. "I wanted to take the fund out of your worthless supervision and devote it to proper uses."

"This must be stopped!" shouted Myers, with a sudden interposition. "Doctor Lancaster, you are saying things that you will regret tomorrow. You are turning to bite the hand that fed you. Where would you be today save for Doctor Lawson? A dead man in a pauper's grave!"

"He persuaded me, weakened as I was by morphine with which he had

been dosing me," Lancaster resumed without paying the least attention to the secretary. "He was to take my place in Avonmouth, while I could assume charge here, pretend to have an illness, which would account for any change in my aspect and character. Nobody would know the difference, and nobody has known the difference. Here, he told me, I could be free to brood over my unhappy life, while he, the clever schemer, taking up my past, could adapt it to his own. He convinced me."

Joan gasped as she began to understand the enormity of the crime. And it was true: she could read that truth in Lawson's face, his pride in the exploit. Lawson was actually smirking, as he had smirked in the operating theater.

"I consented, and he went away," said Lancaster. "My recollection of the months that followed is necessarily a dim one. I know, however, that I was in no state to take care of the funds. They disappeared, and I was accused of having embezzled them. If I did that I did it in my dreams."

"That's just the trouble with you, John," said Lawson. "You dream too much. The question is, what did you do with them? Bury them? You can't have spent thirty thousand dollars upon morphine."

"I have accepted and borne the burden of the guilt," cried Lancaster. "This man Myers was placed in charge. Thereafter he was ever at my elbow, urging me upon the downward path. When I would make an effort to break off my habit he would whisper to me that my life was ruined, that the charge of embezzlement would be pressed if ever I returned to Avonmouth. He would advise me to take my drug and forget—"

"You are lying, you dreamer!" yelled the secretary. "You lie, and you know it!"

"When you came, Joan, I was all but hopeless. I had caught at your aid as my last hope, because that day you came to me your face looked good, and strong, too, and you spoke so sincerely, and it was years since I had known anyone like you. And you seemed to have been sent to me."

"Religious hallucination," said Lawson, tapping his forehead significantly. Nevertheless, Joan could see that he was growing uneasy as the plot was unraveled.

"It was a miracle, that meeting, one of those chances that seem reserved to uncover such conspiracies. For, though this man had stolen my name—and here a touch of pride was visible on Lancaster's face—"there was one thing he could not do. He could not perform the Lancaster operation, though he had picked my brains during the weeks in which he kept me here, a prisoner in one room. And so, from time to time, he compelled me to go to Avonmouth, under the charge of Myers, in order to operate. He laid down the regulations: I was to dress and mask alone; I was to speak as little as possible and to leave hastily after I had finished my work. And he always sent me there with a full injection of the drug in my body. I was too weak to resist, too much under the thumb of Myers here."

"Doctor, won't you stop this painful recitation of hallucinations?" pleaded the secretary to Lawson. "You know, tomorrow he will retract everything."

"The day came," continued Lancaster, "when a committee of visiting surgeons was to witness the operation. He thought that he had learned it. His vanity led him to go to the hospital in person, after he had brought me to Avonmouth. The patient died, but he alone was responsible for that. And that is where you come into the case, Joan. I managed to get word with you, and Myers followed you to this institute, in order to forestall me if possible."

"Doctor Lancaster, you did not steal the funds," said Joan calmly. "Do you not see the hold these two men have managed to obtain over you? They stole the funds, and their object in drugging you was to get rid of you, the sole evidence of their crime, by your death. And so, not daring to murder you, they planned that you should commit suicide."

"You'll answer for that!" shouted the secretary, white with rage. Lancaster shrugged his shoulders. "It doesn't matter now, my dear," he said. But he had struck Lawson through his triple hide of vanity at last.

"But that isn't all," shouted the man. "Admit that there may be a substratum of truth in these morphine dreams of yours, John Lancaster. Admit that I was ambitious, and that I did take the place my half-brother had forfeited in order to be of use to the world, and in order to save you from a felon's cell or a maniac's grave. Acknowledge that I did impersonate you tonight, as before, that I came back with Myers in order to get rid of this girl who threatened to disrupt the institute and put a drug drunkard in the office I hold. Well, what then? That isn't all the story."

"You have played your miserable game craftily, John Lancaster, after having made a fair agreement with me. But I've done my duty toward

you and our father's fund, and if he were alive he would thank me for it. And as for this girl, she can go, and, if her ravings receive credence anywhere, I'll face a jury and tell the truth fearlessly."

"But you haven't explained everything to your poor dupe, John. You haven't told her where your sweetheart is. You haven't said that all the while you have been making love to her your fiancée is under this roof, hopelessly insane, that she came back in her madness, and that you took her into the institute and cared for her when her own people had discarded her, because you still loved her. And I'll tell you something, John. I brought her back; I was in touch with her from first to last; and I brought her here as an additional lure to keep you at the institute after I had gone to Avonmouth. Just tell Miss Wentworth who Mrs. Dana is."

Joan's eyes met Lancaster's, and she saw in his the supreme moment of his anguish. She braced herself to meet the shock; she told herself that Lancaster no longer cared for his poor charge. She faced Lawson and Myers unflinchingly. But the spring of hope that had been bubbling in her heart seemed to have gone dry.

Lawson seemed to be animated by some infernal devilry. He seemed to be throwing off the mask he had assumed; he leaned forward and shook his finger in Lancaster's face.

"And there's another thing, John," he said. "You remember that when we were boys together I resented the difference between your position and mine. Because of a few written words upon a legal document you, the younger, were the honored heir of John Lancaster, Sr., living in the big house on the estate, while I was the unacknowledged child, the shame of my poor mother, ostracized even by the meaner whites of the district. Your friends pretended not to know who I was when they rode by."

Lancaster made a gesture of deprecation as Lawson's voice shook with passion. "That's true, Jim," he said, "but can you blame me? Did I not give you the position here?"

"I hated you because of that, John," resumed Lawson. "I hated you, and I vowed some day to turn the tables on you. I wanted to be a surgeon. What a struggle I had, working my way through Johns Hopkins, while you were spending your father's money there! The struggle soured me, John. And once, do you remember, I was operating on a rabbit under curare, which had paralyzed the motor nerves and left the beast to suffer? It was an experiment such as I had often thought I should like to make on you, and you flung a vile word at me and killed the creature. I told you then that I would get even with you some day. The time arrived. I got my own back, and more, but there is one thing that I never told you. Your fiancée was the victim of a misunderstanding. There was no other man."

John Lancaster's deep breathing seemed the only sound in the room; and, as if galvanized into full strength, he stood now like a panther, poised for a leap, every muscle grown taut, and his eyes gleaming. Joan, paralyzed by the sudden unleashing of Lawson's venomous revenge, could not utter a word.

Lancaster spoke. "You said you were in touch with her and brought her here after she became insane," he said. "How did you do it?"

"You have had your full say, John Lancaster," replied Lawson, "and now I am going to have mine. Under the delusion that your intention was to elope with her, on the day before that fixed for the marriage in the parish church—a romantic plan to evade the family and curious neighbors—Miss Reid went to Savannah, to meet you there. I needn't go into details of the trap that your unacknowledged enemy set for you, but when she learned that she had been tricked it was too late to return. Her life was ruined, John; and it was I, impersonating you, who sent her there."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Americans Accorded Honors by Britain

The first native American to be knighted by an English monarch was Sir William Pepperell, who was born in Kittery, Maine, June 27, 1696. His father was a Welshman who came to New England as an apprentice to a fisherman. The son became a merchant and amassed a large fortune. As a military leader he took part in several conflicts with the Indians and attained much distinction. For thirty-two years he was a member of the royal council of Massachusetts, and as chief justice of common pleas he won eminence as a jurist.

Since Pepperell's time many Americans have achieved knighthood and higher British honors. Lord Astor and Lord Shaughnessy, the former a native of New York and the latter of Milwaukee, being among the more prominent latter-day examples.

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got relief. After I was well again I went to the doctor and he asked me how I was getting along. I told him I was taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and he said it did not hurt any one to take it. I am always recommending the Vegetable Compound to others and I always have a bottle of it on hand."—Mrs. HENRY HOLLISTER, R. F. D. No. 1, Box 7, Wyandotte, Michigan.

Another Woman's Case

St. Paul, Minnesota.—"I have a little girl three years old and ever since her birth I have suffered with my back as if it were breaking in two, and bearing-down pains all the time. I also had dizzy spells. I had read several letters of women in the newspapers, and the druggist recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to my husband for me. As a result of taking it my back has stopped aching and the awful bearing-down feeling is gone. I feel stronger and do all of my housework and tend to my little girl. I have also taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Liver Pills for constipation. I have recommended these medicines to some of my friends and you may use this letter as a testimonial if you wish. I will be pleased to answer letters of other women if I can help them by telling them that this medicine has done for me."—Mrs. PRICE, 147 West Summit Avenue, St. Paul, Minnesota.

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FRANKFORT

The Frankfort Royal Neighbors will hold a business meeting at the Frankfort hall next Wednesday evening. There will also be an initiation of officers.

Miss Miriam Gansen of Chicago was the guest of Miss Toby Balchowsky during the past week.

The T. P. S. Alumni gave a pin oehle party at the Frankfort public school Friday night. Cards were played at 15 tables. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Wm. Lankenau, Mrs. Clark Bennett; Mrs. Chas. Balchowsky; Mr. Wm. Wischover; Nellie Kohlhaugen; Floyd Lankenau. Refreshments were served. The proceeds amounted to about \$15.

Mrs. Jacob Feil entertained the Pinochle Club Saturday night. Cards were played at 3 tables. Refreshments were served.

Jenet Heusner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Heusner, has been ill with convulsions. She is improving.

Mrs. Nekemaurer, son Harry and Mrs. Cosgrove returned Friday from Florida where they have been spending the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fralich and Mrs. Chas. Pfeiffer visited Eva Fralich at the Silver Cross hospital Sunday.

Bertha Galagater nee Bertha Kramer, died at her home at Davenport, Iowa last Sunday morning following an attack of flu and pneumonia, aged 46 years. Burial took place Tuesday in the Frankfort cemetery. She leaves to mourn her two sons, her aged mother, two sisters. She was born in Frankfort and following her marriage she resided at Davenport.

Mrs. Matilda entertained the Pinochle club on Friday afternoon. Cards were played at three tables. Prizes were awarded to Tillie Hossbach and Mrs. LaHue. Refreshments were served.

A series of Basketmeetings will be held from the 22nd to the 24th of May in the First German M. E. church at Green Garden. The services will be in German and in English. District Superintendent, Dr. W. Esslinger will be in charge.

The Second M. E. church of Green Garden is showing much activity of late. A new basement is being placed under the church and a furnace is being installed, also a private electric light plant. The interior is to be re-decorated. Quite a number of other important remodeling jobs have been done such as remodeling the vestibule and the addition of a mother's room.

Two months ago the young folks organized a Cheerful Workers Club and this organization has now over 60 members. This club primarily furthers the social activities of the church. Rev. Otto C. Frey, the pastor reports a fine church attendance.

Rock Island Sets On Time Record

Figures showing a remarkable on time operation of both passenger and freight trains during the month of March have been made public by the Rock Island Lines, covering over 8,000 miles thru 14 Middle Western states. The report shows that during March the Rock Island operated 12,196 trains on time, of which 8,332 were passenger and 5,864 were freight trains.

Among the more important passenger trains which showed perfect performance were the Golden State Limited, Golden State Express, Colorado Express, St. Louis Colorado Express, Hot Springs Limited and the Chicago-Des Moines non-stop train.

The percentage on-time performance of passenger trains was 96.6 and of freight trains 86.8. Of the freight trains, every stock and meat train was operated 100 per cent on time. Another interesting side-light on this performance lies in the fact that during March, the average miles per engine failure were 80,000.

The above record, in the interest of public service, is looked upon with gratification by Rock Island officials.

Ants Too Much for Steeplejack.
Ants were swept up by the bushel at Shakelford, near Aldershot, on Saturday. They had been smoked out from the church spire, where they had prevented the work of the steeplejack who was carrying out repairs.—London Times.

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WORTH

At the meeting of the village council held last Tuesday night the recently elected officers were sworn into office also Mayor Harry Woods. The officers sworn in were: Mayor Harry Woods; trustees L. P. Daniel, Harry Ferrin, Louis Shipper.

The board voted to pay \$1800 on the amount due on the new fire engine. The board voted to convert a \$1000 Liberty bond into cash.

Mr. Prebe has rented the Crandell property.

Mr. Preller has rented his property on 111th Street opposite the Lange garage to a party from Chicago who are going to put up a refreshment and lunch stand.

Mr. I. N. Empie, our local drug gist who has been selling electrical signs the past few months, has had quite a number of sales and finds the business outlook quite promising. Mr. Empie is putting in quite a lot of time on the road pushing the sales of these signs.

A Masonic Cemetery Association from Chicago is seeking to have the village board give them a permit to start a cemetery at the corner of 111th street and 56th avenue as the property is within the mile limit as covered by village ordinance. It is understood that this Association has donated the sum of \$100 to the village treasury. The ordinance governing the permit asked for has had

a reading before the board but will have to go to second reading before any action will be taken on it. The matter will come up for a final hearing at the board meeting on the first Tuesday in June. It is understood that considerable opposition is to be registered against this permit at this meeting.

Frank Diesing who has been renting his grove the past few years is going to take over its management

himself this year it is understood. The Worth M. E. church is indeed showing a big growth of late. Last Sunday fifteen new members were received into church membership.

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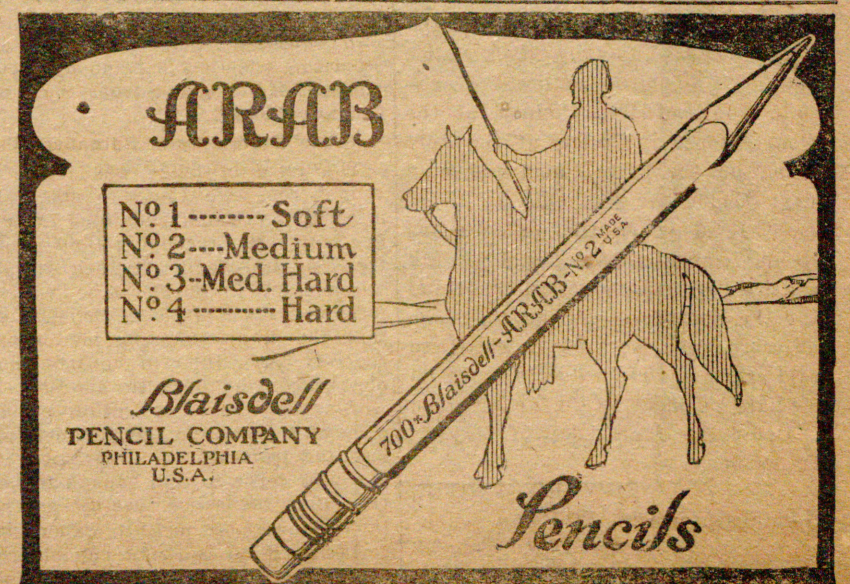
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